Gooding Elementary School

Home of Senator PRIDE



Students Will

- Attend school daily unless I am sick
- Do my best work
- Use my Senator PRIDE behaviors
- Ask for help when I need it
- Believe that I can and will learn
- Make Safe Choices

Parents Will

- Ensure my child attends school daily and on time
- Review my child's school work
- Help my child with homework
- Maintain 2 way communication with my child's teacher
- Help my child resolve conflicts in a helpful and safe manner
- Believe my child can and will learn
- Attend parent teacher conferences two times per school year

GES Will

- Provide a safe & orderly environment conducive to learning
- Use research based best practices for our students
- Work in professional learning communities to best meet the needs of all learners
- Treat students & families with respect
- Provide families with information regarding their child's progress
- Maintain 2 way communication with families
- Help each student to grow and learn to their fullest potential
- Keep students safe



Parent Involvement

Back to School Open
House
Parent Teacher
Conferences Fall & Spring
Family STEM & Literacy
Nights
Family STEM & Literacy
Take Home Kits
Classroom Volunteering
Thanksgiving Luncheon

And More

Talking Points to Have with Your Child about School

1045 7th Avenue West Gooding, Idaho 83330 (208) 934-4941 www.gsd231.org What was the best part of your day?
What did you work on today?
How did you do in class today?
What did you play on the playground?
Tell me something that made you happy today.
Tell me something that was hard for you today.

GES Language Arts

GES is excited to have adopted Open Court Reading, produced by McGraw Hill and aligned with the Science of Reading. Standards combining research-based instruction with new tools to meet today's challenges, every component and every lesson is designed for effective and efficient instruction. The curriculum continues to be updated to meet the changing demands of our student population. In addition to our students receiving 90 minutes of daily reading instruction using the Open Court curriculum, all students receive 30-60 minutes of targeted interventions. GES uses Open Court Reading, Orton Gillingham, UFLI, Read Naturally, Istation, IXL, Book Taco, and Heggerty to help close the gap for struggling readers.

GES Math

At GES we have adopted Eureka Math Squared, a complete, Pre K through 12th grade curriculum that carefully sequences the mathematical progressions into expertly crafted modules. Eureka Math Squared provides educators with a comprehensive suite of innovative curriculum, in-depth professional development, books, and support materials. Students receive 60-90 minutes of math instruction daily. Teachers work with students as needed on various skills in small groups and one on one. Students are provided manipulatives along with other math tools to learn the content and become successful. In addition to the curriculum, students have the opportunity to practice math facts using online programs such as Reflex Math, Happy Numbers, Istation, IXL, and Freckle.

Programs at GES include, but are not limited to Core Essentials Daily Character Education program, Playworks recess systems, conflict resolution, and junior coach training. Annual family nights and take home kits for all students and families.

What is a School-Parent Compact?

This document, a required component of our Title I parent involvement plan, outlines how parents, staff, and students will share the responsibility for a successful school year. Our annual school-parent compact offers ways that we can work together to help our students succeed. This compact provides strategies to help connect learning between school and home.